

want to see me?" He said, "No, he doesn't." He said "Aunt Margaret, do you think Uncle Herman ought to live with you now?" and I said, "No."

That afternoon I employed James R. Bedgood to represent me. They had brought Mr. Cook into my room at the Tower and had told me that this was a joint indictment of Mr. Cook and myself and that if I employed an attorney different from them it might be that they would clash in the two defenses, and that my case and Mr. Cook's case should be practically conducted along the same lines. So on Sunday afternoon I talked to them and told them that I would ask them to represent me, too. On Monday Mr. Hirsch came to the Tower to see me. He asked me if it was true that Forrest Adair and George Adair and Asa Candler, Jr., had tried to get me to leave him, and all during his absence from home; he asked if during the time that he was at home—

The COURT. I don't think she can go into that, and besides, all of these things occurred after the enterprise is ended.

Mr. Russell. I quite agree with Your Honor about that, but it might be leading to something else that she wishes to say.

The COURT. Mrs. Hirsch, anything you want to say in regard to the case is proper. If she wants to make any other statement about the case itself she may do it, but I don't think she can go into what occurred between herself and her husband. I don't think that's any part of the case. Now, Mrs. Hirsch, anything you want to say about your case that you haven't stated to the jury you can do so.

Mrs. Hirsch. Well, there was another matter in my mind, but the interruption has taken it from my mind.

The COURT. If you are through madam, you may stop.

Mrs. Hirsch. I had thought about it, but it went from my mind on account of the interruption.

The COURT. Well, if it comes back to you during the trial, I will let you come back and make a further statement.

IN REBUTTAL.

J. D. Bazemore. Am deputy sheriff at the Tower.

Mr. Arnold. Did Attorney J. R. Bedgood make any attempts to see Mrs. Humphries at the jail? Yes, but she refused to see him, saying that he was not her lawyer. Did you receive information to the effect that Mrs. Humphries knew anything about this case? Yes; John Thompson, a white prisoner held on a murder charge, stated that Mrs.

Humphries knew all about it. What did you do then? I sent for Mrs. Humphries while Mrs. Hirsch was in conference with Cook and Attorney Bedgood. Mrs. Humphries said that Mrs. Hirsch had told her that the entire matter was a frame-up on Mr. Candler between Mr. Hirsch, Cook and herself. No inducement, money or otherwise, or threats had been made to secure this statement. I told Mr. Steph-